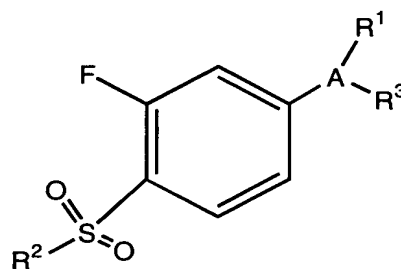


ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

Methods of treating cyclooxygenase-2 mediated disorders comprising administering
5 to a subject a therapeutically effective amount of one or more 2-fluorobenzenesulfonyl
compounds corresponding to Formula I:

**I**

10 wherein A, R¹, R², and R³ are as described in the specification, and novel 2-fluorobenzenesulfonyl compounds within Formula I.